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SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority for the Drug Demand Reduction Program

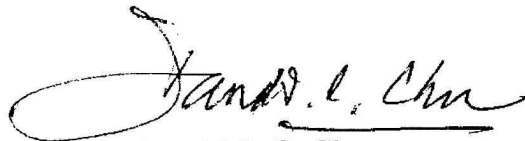
Effective January 24, responsibility for the Department of Defense (DoD) Drug Demand Reduction Program (DDRP) was transferred from the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy to the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.

This memorandum delegates the management responsibilities of the DDRP to the Director, TRICARE Management Activity (TMA). The delegated responsibilities which may be redelegated at the discretion of the Director, TMA, include:

- Providing the vision for a robust program that coordinates the efforts of the Military Departments, DoD Agencies, and other DoD Components;
- Managing the allocation of resources by coordinating the funding support from the Counternarcotics Central Transfer Account with the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Counternarcotics, Counterproliferation, and Global Threats;
- Providing technical oversight of the drug testing program assuring the highest level of forensic integrity and credibility; and
- The responsibilities vested in the DoD Coordinator for Drug Enforcement Policy and Support under the provisions of DoD Directives 1010.1, 1010.4 and 1010.9.



The delegation does not include authority to revise the DoD Directives and Instructions that govern the DDRP.



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Attachment:
As stated